MEMPHIS TENN., WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 1876.

CLOSING BATES Festerday of cotton and gold: New

York, cotton, II IS-16c; Memphis, 11c. New York, gold closed at 112; Memphis, 1112.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

WAR DEPT., OFFICE CH. Sig. OFFICER, and additioner, May 14, 1 a.m. For Tennessee and the Ohio valley, rising followed by stationary barometer, northeasterly to southeasterly winds, and cool, clear weather, succeeded by slowly rising temperature.

TURKEY'S TROUBLES.

The lasurgents now Demand the Absoluie Independence of Hersegoviula and Bozala.

RAGUSA, May 23 .- The latest intelligence from the insurgent camp indiconsions which they demanded at the conference with Baron Bodich. They now demand the absolute independence of Herzegovinia and Bosnia, and scout the idea of an armistice. They are actively preparing to preclaim a provisional government.

CABINET COUNCILS.

Winslow's Extradition-The Private fittlis of Missouri-Don Cameron-The Binck Hills.

WASHINGTON, May 23 .- At the cablnot be mon to-day the reply of Secretary Fish to Lord Derby's note was read. It thoroughly reiteraces the position already taken by this government upon the subject of Winslow's extradition, and met with the unanimous approval

of the cabinet. Secretary Bristow presented a telegram addressed to the commissioner of internal revenue, from Supervisor Meyers at St. Louis, reciting the difficulties are met in executing the revenue laws and arresting its offenders in Cape Girardenu county, Missouri, and asking for a stallitary force to assist in doing so. The matter was referred to the secretary of war, who will instruct the proper military authority at St. Louis to give the necessary aid. One company of infant- eral navy-yards eighty-five thousand ry will be detailed for this service.

The sickness of J. Donald Cameron was mentioned as a circumstance which would prevent his immediate assumption of the duties of secretary of war, and as a consequence Judge Taft will remain in charge of that department for a main in charge of that department of a gray days. It is thought that Cameron with and abandoned, and if so report the best manner of making such dispowill be ners and take the oath of office early next week. Until then the under-Clauding is that the formal acceptances of the newly appointed cabinet officers naval rendezvous at Tybee Island or at

the situation of affairs in the Black Hills erty at said islands can be made availcountry. A curances have been given able and are suitable for such purposes; that an influe that band of Sloux are and said board shall, through the secrewilling to resinque ush their domain there tary of the navy, report to congress at and remove to result of their inquiry, and the sum dian Territory. All the correspondence the result of their inquiry, and the sum therein, That the attorney-general of the result of the position and one dollars is because the result of the on that particular was referred to the of two thousand dollars is herewith apsecretary of the interior, who will give propriated to meet the expenses incurred adjourned. instructions to the agents of the interior department regarding the proper nego-tiations in that direction. Should this portion of the Sioux nation positively signify a willingness to settle in the Indian Territory, the hope is expressed that the entire formidable part of the no tile Indian race may soon be domiciled in that Territory.

POLITICAL.

The Jersey Democrats for Hard Money and Parker.

TRENTON, May 23.—The Democratic State convention met here to-day. A resolution favoring the nomination of los Parker for President was received with great applause. Resolutions were off-red declaring in favor of hard money. Hon, Charles Haight was elected permanent president, with a vice president

and secretary from each county.

Resolutions were adopted reaffirming the principles set forth in the platform of the last Democratic State convention in New Jersey, and in favor of the restoration of gold and sliver as the basis of currency as soon as practicable, economy of administration, and the punishment of corrupt officials.

Resolved, That in recognizing the amendments to the Federal constitution as a part of the organic law of the country, we will abide by that inetrument lo all its parts, in letter and in spirit; that the national administration by its imbecility, extravagance and gross corruption has disgraced itself and srought the country to the verge of doancial ruin; that the thanks of the people are due to the house of representaives of the United States for reducing the appropriations and confining the ex penditures within the proper limit, and also for instituting investigations and onearthing fraud and corruption in high pinces; that we respectfully, but earnesty suggest to our brethren of other States that the nomination of Joel Parker would insure the success of the Democracy in the approachle g Presidential contect, and the delegates this day chosen are requested to present his name to the national convention and urge his nomination.

John P. Stockton, Leon Abbott, Miles R as and John M'Gregor were elected lelegates at large. Acjourned.

The California Democracy for Tilden. SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Delegates are gathering for the State convention, | impracticable to have the general aswhich meets here to-morrow. The general sentiment seems to be to send delegates to St. Louis uninstructed. Heulatter especially so among the San Francisco delegates, as being a known hardmoney man. It is quite likely that the selection of Presidential electors and the | appointed to-day. compustion of congressmen will be deferred to a later date.

Convention of New York Negroes. UTICA, N. Y., May 23 -The State convention of colored men held a meeting to-day. Three delegates were elected to the National Republican convention, to tay before that body the serious evils to which the freedmen are exposed through Democratic supremacy in some of the southern States. A resolution intorsing the candidacy of Senator Conking was adopted ananimously. The Nebraska Republicans.

FREMONT, May 23.-The Republican onvention convened this afternoon. On account of two counties having contesting delegations, the committee on credentials were unable to report tonight, and the convention adjourned till half-past eight to-morrow morning.

meeting of minersheld at Massillon yes-torday, at which it was resolved that and David J. Walters; Elders Louis E. they would not go to work until a gen-they would not go to work until a gen-eral mass-meeting could be held. To-wood, of Philadelphis, and T. T. Alexmorrow is the day appeinted for the gen- ander, of Louisville. eral meeting. It is expected that there | Judge Williams, chairman of the amining him, but nothing of importance | printed.

attendance. charge of the department of justice untill his for the first of June. It is probable, about the first of June I is probable that until the carrival of Judge Pierreport at the court. The report of the standing commended ing of a definite character will be done in the work of the board of last year; respect to the majority to the missions warmly commended that its.

Galveston, May 23: A fire to-day destroy being display that has ever been seen in this hemisphere, or will perhaps be seen again for a hundred year. I would advise a visitor having try-fourth streets, and two wooden building of a definite character will be done to the work of the shallow to the majority to the majority to the migration to the majority to the migration to the majority to the migration to the majority that has ever been seen in this hemisphere, or will perhaps be seen again for a hundred strong the majority that has ever been seen in this hemisphere, or will perhaps be seen again for a hundred strong the majority that has the majority that the majority that has the majority that the majority that has the majority that has the majority that the majority that has the majority that the majority that has the majority that ing of a definite character will be done in gradient of the work o

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Case of the Fenian, Condon-Pen sions-Impeachment-The Navy-Yards and Naval Approprintions.

Proposed Naval Stations at Tybee Island or Cockspur Island-The Indian Appropriation Bill-Etc.

BENATE.

Washington, May 23. - Senator Conkling, from the committee on foreign relations, reported with amendments the house joint resolutions suggesting the intercession of the United States to secure the release of E. O. M. Condon, now confined in an English prison. He asked its present consideration.

Senator Edmunds said he would like to examine it, and asked that it be laid over till to morrow. So ordered. Senator Oglesby, from the committee cates that in consequence of the lim-proved position, which has resulted the house bill granting to the State of from their recent victories, the insur- Missouri all land therein selected as genis cannot be estisfied with the con- swamp and overflowed lands. Placed on the calendar.

> owing: Resolved, That the secretary of the treasury be directed to furnish to the senate a detailed estimate of the amount that would be required to execute house bill amendatory of laws granting pen-sions to the soldiers and sallors of the war of 1812 and their widows. Agreed

Senator Sherman submitted the fol-

After reports on a number of bills of an unimportant character the consideration of the articles of impeachment was resumed with closed doors, but before reaching any decision the doors were reopened and the senate adjourned.

HOUSE. The house went into committee of the whole on the naval appropriation bill, the question being on the discontinu-

ance of certain navy-yards. Mr. Piper offered an amendment retaining the navy-yards at Brooklyn, Mare Island, Kittery, Charleston, Pen-sacols, Norfolk and League Island for general purposes, and the yard at Washington for manufacturing purposes only, and retaining New London as a naval station.

Mr. Randall offered the following amendment as a supstitute for Mr. Lewis's amendment offered yesterday: For the civil establishment of the sevdollars, and the secretary of the navy is hereby directed to organize a naval board of five commissioned officers in the navy as soon as practicable, whose duty it shall be to examine fully and determine whether, in their opinion, any of the navy-yards can be dispensed sition of the same; and further to in-Cockspur Island in the State of Geor-The coonsidered to some extent gis, and whether any government propres sivations in the In- the commencement of its next session

> by said board. Mr. Whitthorne suggested the three members of the board should be three senior officers in the navy.

Mr. Randall modified his amendment accordingly. Mr. Danford moved to amend Mr. Randall's substitute by allowing naval stations to be established at Tybes Island or Cockspur Island, or any other point on the coast of Georgia or South Carc-

lina. Agreed to. Mr. Randall's substitute was adopted,

97 ayes to 34 nays. The committee then proceeded with the remaining clauses of the bill. Lewis [Ala.] offered au amendment to reduce the strength of

the marine corps and to atolish the marine band. The latter joint proposition afforded Harrison [Ili] an opportunity for delivering a most amusing speech, and one that was much enjoyed by both

sides of the house. Mr. Lewis's amendment was rejected rose and reported the bill, which was passed. The house then again went into committee of the whole, Mr. Springer in the chair, on the Indiau appropri bill, and was addressed by Mr. Ward [N. Y.] on the distribution of the Geneva award. Without making any progress on the bill the committe arose Mr. Blackburn offered a resolution authorizing the Louisiana investigating committee to act by sub-committees.

Mr. Woodburn [Nev] was appointed on that committee to fill the vacancy caused by the withdrawal of Mr. Hos-

kins. Adjourned. PRESBYTERIAN.

Proceedings of the General Assembly Yesterday-Report of the Board of Church Erection.

Roman Catholic Baptism-Reports on Benevolence and Missions, Rome and Foreign-Interesting

NEW YORK, May 28 .- In the Presbyterian general assembly yesterday it was announced that a committee would have a meeting with the Centennial commissloners Wednesday in regard to closing the exhibition on Sunday. It is found sembly appear in a body, as designed.

The report on the union of the church systentation with the board of home misricks and Tilden are the favorites, the sions elicited earnest discussion, which continued throughout the afternoon and | delivered an opinion in the gas suits, for

During the afternoon the reports of the board of church erection, and of the committee of trustees of the assembly on cludes the Laclede gas company as well relief fund for disabled ministers and as the old St. Louis company. the wives and orphans of deceased ministers, were distributed. The former report showed the gross receipts for the year of one hundred and twenty five ment of a receiver to take charge of the thousand dollars. One hundred and gasworks, and to continue making and twenty-two churches received their appropriations amounting to sixty-three usand six hundred and seventy nine dollars, while forty-three thousand two | the value of the works and property behundred and eighty-nine dollars remains

The committee on overture from the synod of Missouri, asking that a second baptism be required in case of Roman Catholics converted to Protestantism, reported the paper back to the assembly

for further consideration. The moderator announced the following as a special committee on the report of the committee on home missions and CLEVELAND, May 23.—There was a sustentation ministers: Rev. Drs. W. E.

will be a very large attendance of miners committee on benevolence, said six was developed. Wilson introduced savfrom the Tuscara w. Lawrence and thousand nine hundred and twenty dol-Akron districts, and it is thought that the shad been appropriated to aid in build-Iars had been appropriated to aid in build-Iars had been appropriated to aid in build-Iars had been appropriated to aid in build-Akron districts, and the control of the the meeting will practically end the ting churches. The disbursements had the records showed that Ferguson's strike. At the meeting held here today about two hundred miners were in and the committee believed this was too a sub-committee visited the treasury delarge a ratio of expenditures. The partment with the witness, to identify amount appropriated the previous year the bogus pay-rolls, and reported that, was fifty-nine thousand five hundred although six hundred vouchers were pro-Washington, May 23.—There is not change in the representations of the war change in the representations of the war.

a committee of women be appointed in each synod to aid in each church. The importance of work among our foreign population was urged, especially among the Germans and persecuted Chinamen

upon our shores. Contributions by mission churches for other church work was spoken of as not to be censured, and as likely to increase the prosperity and liberality of such

Rev. Dr. Dickson, secretary of the board of home missions, in his address, dwelt on the importance of home missions, and spoke of the work and hard-ships of the missionaries and their wives, and then referred to the importance of inculcating patriotism into the children as well as piety, of which true patriotism was a part. The Germans among us must be Americanized in order to make our work among them effective. It was natural they should love their own language, but they must be taught the English tongue and learned to love the English bible. He urged the importance of their work among the Chinames, the tide of whose immigration to this country could not be stopped. Many of them had been converted, and the best missionaries to be sent back to China. He next referred to the Indians, and to the success of the missionary work among the Cherokees. He spoke of the bible in schools and fami-lies, and said that the Americans would not be worthy of their name did they not maintain it undisturbed. After the usual religious exercises, a recess was

NORTHERN METHODISTS.

Visits to Foreign Countries by the Bishops-Fraternal Delegates-Wilson and Wisconsin.

BALTIMORE, May 23 .- In the Methodist general conference, to-day, a report from the committee on episcopacy was submitted. It recommends that one of the general superintendents, if, in the opinion of the bishops, it be deemed practicable, should visit Africa once during the next four years, to extend the missionary fields in that country. It is also suggested that during the next quadrennial two visits should be made sition not to stop at the hotels in the to Europe; also to India and Japan. city of Philadelphia. The average dis-The report, after a long debate, was

Fraternal delegates from the African Methodist Episcopal church were intro- | ble and picturesque. After having tried duced. An address was made by each, it for a week I nave determined to move and the usual resolutions were adopted. addressed the conference.

A report of the fraternal messengers from the general conference of 1872 to the British conference of 1874 was read.

SPORTING NEWS.

York Handicap Races. LONDON, May 23.—The great northern handicap at York was won by Polonaise, Owton second, Stamford Ham third.

Spring-Meeting Maryland Jockey Club. BALTIMORE, May 23.—The spring meeting of the Maryland jockey club began to-day, with a heavy track. The three-quarter mile dash was won by Austral, Emma G. second, Yorkshire Lass third, and Gath fourth. Time, 1:26. The Chesapeake stakes, one and a quarter mile dash, was won by Peri, Sunbeam second, Emily third. Time, 2:264. The handicap stakes for four year olds, mile heats, was won by Oreknob, Willie Burk second, Ascension third. Time, 1:511, 1:511.

The steeple-chase was won by Colonel Nelligan, Warlike second, rest distanced -Calvert and Wessel falling and throwby a large majority, and the committee | ing their riders, and Bill Monday bolting. No time was taken.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

sion at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 23.-The Right Worthy Grand Lodge of Good Templars of the World commenced its seesion here to-day. The attendance is large and the proceedings were begun with unusual interest. Delegates from Alaska, England, Australia, Africa, and all parts of the globe are present, and some have journeyed for months to reach the convention. R. W. G. T. J. J. Hickman, of Louisville, the head of the order, is presiding.

To-day a member offered a resolution demanding that the Centennial commissioners prohibit the sale of liquors on the grounds of the exhibition, and another suggested that they be urged so to do, when the first elegaently preclaimed his sentiments in the assertion, that as the Centennial is a thing of the country, paid for by the country, the citizens have a right to demand, not urge. The resolutions were laid over till to-morrow. At this evening's meeting the Templars were welcomed by Hon. Charles D. Jacob, mayor of Louisville, R. W. G. T. Hickman appropriately responding.

Important Decision.

Sr. Louis, May 23.-Judge Gottschalk, of the circuit court, this morning ferring the report to a committee to be ing that the gasworks have belonged to the city since January 1, 1870, and that

The decision also enjoins the St. Louis gas company from further making or selling gas, and provides for the appointselling gas under the orders of the court. It also provides for the appointment of longing thereto. Also to take account of the operations and profits of said company since January 1, 1870, and to ascertain what property was purchased by the Laclede gas company from the St Louis gas company, and the profits gained by that company, and also the net cost of manufacturing and furnishing gas to the city during that time.

The Louisiana Investigation. Washington, May 23.—The com-mittee on Federal officers in Louisians continued its examination of the witness G. W. Ferguson to-day. Nearly the whole time was occupied by Wilson, counsel for Collector Casey, in cross-ex-

WINSLOW.

The Clerical Thief Passed into the Domain of Diplomatic History and Immortalized.

LONDON, May 23 -At the request of the attorney-general, Winslow has been further remanded for eight days. There is a probability that the government will take measures in the meantime to bring the case before the court of queen's

benco. The Standard, on the issue between the British and American governments arising out of the Winslow case, says: On two points it seems perfectly certain that Mr. Fish is right; while on the third, construction of the set of parliament of 1870, his view is that which to mere unprofessional common sense the words in question appear to bear out." The Standard takes the view that the question whether the Ashbur-ton treaty is excepted from the operation of the act of 1870 should be referred to the courts.

In the house of commons this afternoon, the secretary of state of the home department, replying to Sir William Vernon Harcourt's question, whether the house would have an opportunity to consider the correspondence on the Winslow case before Winslow's final release, said that negotia-tions were still pending, and it was unusual to communicate state papers until the correspondence had been concluded but under the special circumstances of this case the papers up to the present date would be submitted to the house.

THE EXPOSITION.

Advice to all who Propose Attending the Great Centenutal Show.

The Hotels and Long Rides-Conventence of the New Hostelries-Fereign Exhibitors-Etc., Etc.

From the Regular Correspondent of the Ap-PHILADELPHIA, May 20.-I would advise all who expect to visit the expotance from the city hotels and boardinghouses to the park is about four miles. and the ride is anything but comforts nearer the exhibition grounds. I have A fraternal delegate was introduced spent nearly two hours each day travel-

from the Congregational church, who ling to and from the park, in crowded cars, seldom atle to flud a seat, and when so fortunate, holding it with violence to my conscience, for there infallibly appears some ancient Quaker lady On the second ballot, Cincinnati was selected as the city in which to hold the next general conference. to whom thee will feel in duty place. There seem to be scarcely any The report of the committee on itinerancy in the case of Rev. E. V. Wilson, a presiding elder in the Wicconsin conreience, was taken up. This case involves the right of appeal in certain cases. The report corolodes with a resolution declaring that "the action of the outlined of the country blain or striped socks, but I told her held from Driggs by the American com-Wisconsin annual conference convicting
Wilson of msladministration be, and is

Was auxious to make a good impression. It costs twelve cents to ride impression. It costs twelve cents to ride impression. It costs twelve cents to ride impression. ings have accommodations quite as indeed better, for they have been built with special reference to summer com-fort and this special occasion, and have spacious, airy features that cannot be found in the innsofthe city built a quarter of a century ago. The prices are the same as at the city hotels, but those near the grounds are really less expensive when the economy of time, car and carriage-hire is considered, for the visitor to the wonderful microcosm in Fairmount park may step fresh from his bed and breakfast into the main building, while those who have slept in the city arrive an hour later, Jaded by an uncomfortable ride, and feeling more like going to

bed than undertaking the fatiguing tramp of forty miles, involved in a jour-ney around the various exhibits. Of these hotels the Grand Exposition and the Globe houses-the first on the European plan, and the latter on the American plan-are perhaps the most desirable; the others are the Transcontinental, United States, etc.

opening, it is yet too early to sketch the condition of the exhibition, for much remains to be done before the plans and arrangements will be completed. Of the leading exhibitors in the main building, France and Germany seem to be the most dilatory. The American and English exhibits are very complete. Their displays, both in selection and arrangement are marvels of taste and eauty. The displays of the various Philadelphia manufacturers are voluminous and handsome. Sweden has a superb showing of iron and furs, and best specimens of fillgree ornaments in metal are to be found in this department. The Italian collection is distinguished by a display of some fine mosaics and carvings. Germany has been much behindhand in arranging her exhibits; her display of porcelain is good, and attracts much attention. Austria has a rare display of Bohemiam glass, amber, meerschaum, and leather goods. The Japanese collection is large and varied, and is distinguished especially for its carving lacquered ware and vases. The Chinese exhibition is large and creditable, as are also those of Egypt, Brazil, Holland, Denmark and Canada. In machinery hall the cynosure of attraction is the Corliss engine. To see this Titan with the strength of a volcano, the grace of a serpent, and the doublity of a donkey furnishing the motor for printing the New York Herald, stamping Centennial envelopes, weaving carpets, ribbons, and spooling silk thread, and a hundred other useful manufac-

Although it is now ten days since the

tures from the most ponderous to the most delicate, all here under one roof, is in itself a liberal education. In agricul tural hall the display, consisting of cereals, woods, fruits-in fact of all the varied productions of the farm, forest and stream, is very interesting. If there is particular excellence anywhere it is in the artistic display of tobacco by some Lynchburg and Louisville firms The weed is represented in every state one or more commissioners to ascertain | color, manipulation and previous condition. I would advise every man, and and woman, too, who has abandoned its use, not to look upon this tobacco. United States government buildings attract a fair proportion of visitors, but part of the dis-play I cannot but consider exthe works be stopped. travagant and frivolous, as for instance

> ume since the revolution. The school histories abound in pictures that illustrate these changes quite as well. These and some other displays would seem to indicate that the commissioners have been puzzled to find means for spending all the money that has been appro-The larger number of the State buildings are not yet completed. It is difficuit to see why they were ever begun. They illustrate nothing that is distinctive in the architecture of the respective States because there is nothing dis. are being paid in coin. This has created tluctive to illustrate; and they are at great enthusiasm among the citizens,

stuffed artillerymen mounted on wood-en horses, and other stuffed figures rep-

resenting the changes in military cos

visitor with the impression that he must

time I see the pictures in this hall that THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. every boy and girl in the country cannot

have protracted access to them.

The womans' pavilion, designed to illustrate her productive ability, attracts much attention, though there is little in it, beside the women themselves, that is in itself attractive. I think it is a mistake that they have not a few fine bables there, this production has made women illustrious in two hemischeres. There is something extremely pathetic in this disposition, or necessity, of women to "flock off" into a pavilion by herself; woman no more than man was

made to be alone. C. A. S. BIG SALE OF COTTON GOODS

An Immense Crowd of Dealers Present -Prices Steady, and Nothing

Like Panic Prevailed: NEW YORK, May 28 -The invitations sent out more than a week ago by Wright, Blies & Fabyan, Nos. 71 and 73 Thomas street, for their sale of domestic goods to-day, were expected to attract a great deal of attention, but the attendance wonderfully surpassed expectations, and made necessary a change of the location of the sale to 71 and 73 Thomas street. This large 100m was crowded almost to suffocation, by many well-known merchants of this city, and representatives of leading firms in Philadelphia, Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, Boston, Chicago, and other cities. The crowds also ex-tended out into the street, filling up the passage-way so that it was difficult for carts to pass. The first entry was a lot of Pepperell brown, in quantities of five bales. It started at 6e, and was knocked off at 7ic. As lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 were offered, and sold at prices a triffe in advance, the excitement increased, and the demand being so eager, the auctioneer was repeatedly obliged to run up the bid in order to reduce the number of those anxious to be served. The prices

generally were considered fair, denoting no panie in the market, and being but one and one-half to two per cent. below the previous rates for goods sold.

Our Minister Orth Explaining His Connection With the Venesnela Claim.

GODLOVE.

Talmadge and Thomas Brown-A Pertinent Question by Springer-Resignation of Orth.

Washington, May 23.—Godlove S. Orth, of Indians, United States minister to Austria, testified to-day before the sub-committee of the committee on foreign affairs, in relation to the awards made by the Venezuelan mixed commission. His name had been mentioned in the testimony previously given by Seth Driggs, of New York, as having held from Driggs by the American comhe had no idea of again being in congrass, he accepted employment as the madge, to assist them in receiving their department, and subsequently by procuring the passage of a law by congress

written him; Brown was the holder of these certificates. Mr. Springer, who examined Mr. Orth, after calling his attention to the fact that Stillwell was United States minister to Venzuela only for a few months, and that Talmadge was the American commissioner who passed upon the claims, asked him if it did not occur to him when offered this employment as attorney, that it was very strange that Stillwell and Talmadge should hold such large amounts of these certificates, the former having more than seventy thousand dollars of them, and latter a still larger sum; and whether it did not, therefore, occur to him that if certificates suspicion would have been awakened and payment prevented? Orth replied no; for the State depart-

ment had paid to Talmadge in 1871 an installment on other certificates which Mr. Orth to-day sent in his resrgnation as minister, and proceeds to Indiana

to attend the gubernatorial canvass. TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Boston, May 23: Base-ball-Boston Cincinnati nothing. Queenstown, May 23: The steamship Egypt, from New York, bas arrived.

Philadelphis, May 23: Arrivedsteamship Tagus from Liverpool. London, May 23: Steamships Donan and Canada, from New York, arrived out.

San Francisco, Msy 22: The Panama Transit company's steamer South Carolina, from New York via Panama, has arrived. New York, May 23: Base-ball—St. Louis Browns 12, Mutuals 3. The play-

ing of the St. Louis club was brillient and frequently applauded. Poughkeepsie, May 23: The superintendent of the printing mills at Wappinger Falls states that the strikers' de-

Chicago, May 23: A young man named Mayo, living in Boston, was almost instantly killed here this afternoon by falling from the fifth story of the Grand Pacific hotel while engaged in adjusting a fire-escape. Galveston, May 23: The first eack of

Texas flour was shipped from Dallas to

Galveston and sold at auction to-day for three hundred and five dellars. It was purchased by Brazil coffee importers. They will send it to Dom Pedro, empe-Jeffersonville, Ind., May 28: For the

best but barren points of diversion from and speaks volumns in favor of the that which is well worth seeing. The present administration. change in the representations of the war department of justice at the cabinet meeting to-day.

Judge Pierreport will not relinquish the Judge of the department of justice upon disbursements, the committee representations of the war to identify a single one beyond those for his own salary. The committee adjourned, to meet in New Orleans Saturburgers afford.

San Francisco, May 23: A telegram from Hong Kong to the Chinese companies when he would just as well stay at his his own salary. The committee adjourned, to meet in New Orleans Saturburgers afford. San Francisco, May 23: A telegram

Report of the House Committee Charged with the Investigation of its Affairs.

It Specifically Charges the Commissioners with Violations of Law in Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, May 28.-The report

of the committee on the District of Columbia, charged with an investigation into the affairs of the District, has been prepared so far as a portion of the committee is concerned, by Chairman Buckner. It specifically charges the commisdoners with violations of law in the expenditures of money, and says, in relaion to the board of audit, that the evidence will fully sustain the committee in the statement that the favored parties had no difficulty in having claims audited, and in some cases in which there was no merit, and in others for much more than was due; while other claimants with equal merit or demerit were procrastinated and delayed, until some person in communication with the accounting officers turns up to purchase the claims at a heavy discount, and are thus unnecessarily hindered and delayed in the adjustment. The report gives the names of thirty-two persons who had improper or erroneous allowances made to them, ranging from \$2000 to \$54 000, and aggregating \$320,667. The report says that if the intention and meaning of the act of June, 1874, has not been greatly misconceived, there can be no doubt but the commissioners have added \$3,091,046 to the debt of the District of Columbia not only without warrant of law, but against their own construction of their powers.

as shown by their report of December, 1874. The report says that, in the investigation of the contracts by the board of health, it appears the contract with the odorless excavating apparatus company of Baltimore was made under circumstances that lead to the suspicion, if not to the conviction, that improper motives controlled two of the members of the board awarding the contract—Drs. Cox and Bliss-who subsequently to the award received from the odorless company certificates of preferred stock in the company, guaranteeing seven per cent. per annum interest on ten thousand dollars, which they seem to have disposed of afterward to the president of the company. The committee say that not only ought this contract to be cancelled and set aside, but your committee would call the attention of the authorities of the District to the propriety of bring the conduct of Cox and Bilss in this matter before the grand jury and having these officers indicted under sec-

tion 5501 of the revised laws of the United States The report is a long one, and in con-

clusion recommends the passage of the accompany joint resolution; Resolved, The senate con time made is about the same, but life is the Venezuelan government, in 1870 and the United States be and he is hereby time made is about the same, but life is too short for either, and I would advise those who desire to make the most of the show to take rooms as near the grounds as possible. The hotels of the show to take rooms as near the grounds as possible. The hotels of the hotel the awards, and afterward, when Orth sioners of the District of Columbia for was not a member of congress, and when | malfeasance and unfaithfulness in the discharge of their duties as said comgress, he accepted employment as the attorney of J. Stillwell and General Talpose he is authorized to appoint such madge, to assist them in receiving their percentage paid by the Venezuelan government under protest on these duct and management of said suits, and awards, and which was then in the State | also of all actions, whether civil or criminal, against the parties mentioned or referred to in the report of the committee of the District of Columbia, made to the house of representatives on the made; his services were rendered while he was not a member of congress, and terminated before he took his seat in the subsequent congress in 1873; that ended his professional connection with the matter. But in July, 1873, he then being a member of congress elect, he had, on the all laws of the United States, and that the earth of the payment of the installment on the certificates held by Talmadge. This, however, he had not done in his professional character. He identified the correspondence, a copy of which was in the hands of the committee. The name of Talmadge does not appear in it as the person for whom he was acting, but the name of Thomas Brown does. Orth's action in the payment of the demands and certified to by explanation is that Talmadge must have written him; Brown was the holder of the confirmation of the confirmation of the confirmation of the demands and certified to by explanation is that Talmadge must have written him; Brown was the holder of the confirmation of the demands and certified to by action in the property of public works as audited and certified to by explanation is that Talmadge must have written him; Brown was the holder of the confirmation of the confirmation of the confirmation of the demands and certified to by the confirmation of the confirmation of the demands and certified to by action of the confirmation of the demands and certified to by the confirmation of the demands and certified to by the confirmation of the demands and certified to by the confirmation of the confirmation of the crimination of the crim confirming the awards; he acted and mittee of the District or Columbia, made was paid as attorney for Stilwell & Tal- to the house of representatives on the whether any further illegal allowances had been made, or improper movements made; and such experts shall have access to any papers, documents or records

> thereof, and said committee shall make a report thereof to the next session of The Republican members of the committee, and Mr. Willard [Mich.] Liberal, and perhaps some of the Democratic members will refuse to unite in the above report. While they will admit that claims have been allowed by the board of audit which were improper, he mentioned the name of Telmadge to they will refuse to indorse the concluthe state department as owner of these sion that the District commissioners should be held accountable for a board which is in no wise amenable to the commissioners, and whose powers and duties are as clearly defined as their own. This latter report will attach the responsibility where it properly belongs, and censure the board of audit.

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of John R. Gatti, deceased,
Having suggested the insolvency of the
estate of John B. Gatti, deceased, you are
hereby ordered to give notice, by advertisement in some newspaper published within
the said State, and also at the courthouse door
of Shelby county, for all persons having
claims against said estate to appear and file
the same with the Clerk of the county Court,
authenticated in the manner prescribed by
law, on or before the 24th day of August, 1876;
and any claim not filed on or before said day,
or before an appropriation of the funds of

and any claim not filed on or before said day, or before an appropriation of the funds of said estate is made, shall be forever barred, both in law and equity.

Witness my hand, at office, this flist day of May, 1876.

By John J. Shea, Deputy Clerk.

Notice is given to all parties having claims against the estate of said John B. Gattl, dec'd, to file them, as above required.

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